(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

**SC/ST bogus caste certificate**

1745. SHRI PRAVEEN RASHTRAPAL: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of SC/ST bogus caste certificate cases as on 31st March, 2007;

(b) in how many cases departmental proceedings have been started against the concerned employees from the above numbers;

(c) in how many cases, the matter is pending before various Courts; and

(d) the action plan of Government to finalise all the above and to fill up the vacancies by appropriate candidates belonging to SC and ST categories?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES): (a) to (d) The Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

**Implementation of building and other construction workers Act**

1746. SHRIMATI BRINDA KARAT: Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state the latest position of implementation of the Building and other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Condition of Service) Act, 1996 in all States and Union Territories?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI OSCAR FERNANDES): As per the information received from the State Governments, the position of implementation of the Building and other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and Condition of Service) Act, 1996 in all States and Union Territories is given in the Statement

***Statement***

*Status of Implementation of The Building and other Construction Workers (Regulation of Employment and conditions of Service) Act, 1966. (As on 31.10.2007)*

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| Andhra Pradesh | • | State Welfare Board has been constituted on 30.4.2007. |
| | • | State Advisory Committee has been has been constituted on 16.6.07. |
| | • | Cess Collector, Assessing Officer, and Appellate Authorities under the Cess Rules have been notified on 25.8.99. |
| | • | Rules under the Act notified on 26.6.07. |
| Arunachal Pradesh | • | Rules under the Act have been framed. |
| | | State Welfare Board has been constituted on 10.10.2005. |
| | • | State Advisory Committee has been has been constituted on 20.7.2005. |
| | • | Authorities under the main Act and Cess Act have not been notified. |
| Assam | • | Welfare Board has been constituted. |
| | • | Implementing authorities notified. |
| | • | Drafting of rules are under process. |